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All except the General seemed to enjoy their dinner of Boston scrod. The General claiming to be somewhat tired after the trip, declined all offers of food and drank only tea. The writer mentioned that he had visited the United States for approximately one month some years back and had written a book on his experiences entitled "NO PARKING". (S)

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ANN and [redacted] discussed some of their experiences in the Soviet Union. [redacted] advised that he had been in the Soviet Union since 1931 and that [redacted] had returned to the United States approximately six years after moving there. [redacted] mentioned that he is a Veteran of the great tank battle of Kursk. He also said that he was on his way to see his nephew in Colorado. It was noted that he was extremely respectful in the presense of the General and the writer. (S) b6 b7C

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ANN TIMPSON, whose Russian is passible, preferred to hold most of the discussions in English. (S)

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During dinner, [redacted] was interested in the program for the evening and was told that after dinner at the Harvard Club, all would travel to MIT's Ashdon House where a general membership meeting and reception sponsored by the Greater Boston Committee for American Soviet Friendship was currently under way. It was at this point that [redacted] mentioned that this was her third visit to the United States and that she had accompanied SAMANTHA SMITH all over the Soviet Union. (S) b6 b7C

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Finishing dinner around 9:00 p.m. at the Harvard Club, the group next travelled to MIT's Ashdon House where they found the above mentioned meeting already in progress. The meeting had, in fact, developed into an acrimonious exchange between one U.S. veteran and those (GBCASF members) who sponsored a just completed film. The film, one of a number of such films in the GBCASF library is a documentary produced in the Soviet Union which depicts the Soviet view point regarding World War II. (The Soviet viewpoint is that they had won the War without any help from the allies, particularly the United States.) This incensed the above mentioned veteran who assended to the podium and brandeed the film a "pack of Commielies". He then departed the meeting amidst shouts from the largely GBCASF membership to throw him out. Other sponsors, although not as vocal in their objections as the veteran, made it clear to GBCASF members that they were not too happy about the film selected. Privately, two of the largest organizations co-sponsoring the meeting, the Cambridge Peace Counsel, chaired by JEB BRUGMAN, and a women's organization, chaired by ELLEN MASS, advised they would not participate in any future such meetings. (S) MA

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The three Russians entered the meeting just after the above mentioned events. The Soviets were preceeded on the podium by JOE BANGER, a veteran from Brewster, Massachusetts, and DAVID GLOD, possibly a CPUSA member [redacted] introduced BAKLANOV and KOSLOV. KOSLOV's speech was upbeat and celebrated the victory over fascism. He mentioned the Soviet Union (S) b6 b7C

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Photograph

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies each of photographs of GRIGORIY BAKLANOV, SVYATOSLAV KOZLOV and [redacted] (S)

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The information set forth below was provided by [redacted] (S) on 5/31/85. Reporting in this matter was held up due to a delay in getting copies of enclosed photographs.

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On 5/31/85 [redacted] who may be described as having provided reliable information in the past advised that a group of three Soviet tourists arrived in Boston 5/22/85 via an Al'Italia Flight from Rome, Italy. The group was composed of GRIGORIY BAKLANOV, a writer from Moscow, SVYATOSLAV KOZLOV, a retired General from the Soviet Army, and [redacted] of the USSR-USA Friendship Society and Interpreter. It was also noted that [redacted] was the same individual who escorted [redacted] (S) SAMANTHA SMITH around the Soviet Union. (S)

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